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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5457

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PASS TO DR. FRED FULLERTON, APHIS/USDA

AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE DR. WEATHERSBY

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAGR, GT

SUBJECT: BIOLOGICAL RESIDUES IN BEEF FROM ESTABLISHMENT 1

REF: STATE 281800

1. AS REQUESTED REFTEL, AGATT DELIVERED MESSAGE TO EXGUAPAGRA, ESTABLISHMENT NO. 1, STATING PRODUCT WILL BE HELD AT PORT PENDING U.S. ANALYSIS OR WILL REQUIRE PRETEST CERTIFICATION BECAUSE SHIPMENT SAMPLED NOV. 20 IN MIAMI REVEALED DDT RESIDUES OF 5.1 PPM. YOU STATED FURTHER THAT TOLERANCE FOR DDT WAS CHANGED TO 5 PPM ON AUGUST 2, 1974.

2. WE ARE IN RECEIPT LETTER FROM GENERAL MANAGER EST. 1 PROTESTING QUOTE ABNORMAL AND RETOACTIVE UNQUOTE RULING IN VIEW OF FACT PLANT HAD NEVER BEEN NOTIFIED OF TOLERANCE CHANGE TO 5 PPM FROM 7 PPM IN PAST. HE NOTED THAT WHEN CARLOS ENRIQUE BLANCO, PLANT PRESIDENT, VISITED APHIS/W OFFICE RECENTLY HE WAS NOT NOTIFIED OF CHANGE, NOR WERE THEY NOTIFIED IN GUATEMALA. HE SAID IN PART QUOTE WE CONSIDER IT UNJUST THAT ACTIONS ARE TAKEN AGAINST THIS ESTABLISHMENT WITHOUT OUR HAVING BEEN NOTIFIED PRIOR TO CHANGES IN THE LEGAL TOLERANCES UNQUOTE.

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3. TO OUR KNOWLEDGE, AGATT, WHO WAS ON HOME LEAVE
LAST AUGUST, WAS NOT ADVISED OF SUNH TOLERANCE CHANGE.
PLEASE SEND US COPY OF CHANGE MADE AUGUST 2, 1974.
MEANTIME, WOULD SUGGEST THAT YOU CONSIDER RETRACTING
ACTION REFERENCE EST. 1.
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